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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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For: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING DUPLEXING IN
AN ATM SWITCHING SYSTEM

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to initial examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified
application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the ~~specification~~ as follows:

Page 11, line 13, change "S/W" to --software--.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claims 1, 2, 3, and 21 as follows:

1. (Amended) A method for controlling duplexing in an ATM system, the
ATM system including a plurality of duplexing control boards, each of the plurality of